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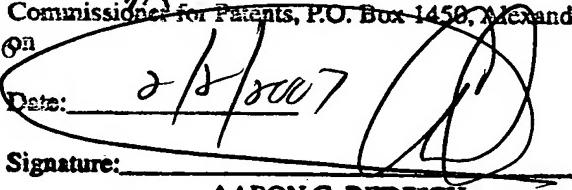
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**AMENDMENT AFTER A FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

SIR:

In response to the Final Office Action dated October 2, 2006 (the three-month response date for which has been extended by one month from January 2, 2007 to February 2, 2007 by the accompanying RCE Transmittal (which includes a Petition to Extend)), please reconsider the above-identified application based on the following.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.

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**Amendments to the Drawings:**

Applicants have amended Figures 2 and 3 to include further descriptive labels, as suggested. The replacement sheet for Figures 2 and 3 accompany this response. No new matter has been added and the text is supported by the present application. Approval and entry are respectfully requested.